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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 1735

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend Senate Bill 1735 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Department of Transportation Law of the
5 Civil Administrative Code of Illinois is amended by changing
6 Section 2705-215 as follows:

7 (20 ILCS 2705/2705-215) (was 20 ILCS 2705/49.27)

8 Sec. 2705-215. Cooperative utilization of equipment and
9 services of governmental entities and not-for-profit
10 organizations for the transportation needs in public service
11 programs.

12 (a) The Department is directed to encourage and assist
13 governmental entities, not-for-profit corporations, and
14 nonprofit community service associations, between or among
15 themselves, in the development of reasonable utilization of
16 transportation equipment and operational service in satisfying

1 the general and specialized public transportation needs.

2 The Department shall develop and encourage cooperative
3 development, among all entities, of programs promoting
4 efficient service and conservation of capital investment and
5 energy and shall assist all entities in achieving their goals
6 and in their applications for transportation grants under
7 appropriate State or federal programs.

8 (b) Implementation of cooperative programs is to be
9 developed within the meaning of the provisions of the
10 Intergovernmental Cooperation Act. In the circumstances of
11 nongovernmental entities, the Department shall be guided by
12 that Act and any other State law in encouraging the cooperative
13 programs between those entities.

14 (c) The Department shall report to the members of the
15 General Assembly, by March 1 of each year, its successes,
16 failures and progress in achieving the intent of this Section.
17 The report shall also include identification of problems as
18 well as the Department's recommendations.

19 (d) The Department shall certify United States Department
20 of Labor apprenticeship programs which have joint labor
21 management boards regulated under the Labor Management
22 Relations Act, 29 U.S.C. 141 et seq., as able to teach and
23 train their own members for any quality assurance and quality
24 control certifications required by the Department.

25 The Department shall make available, without charge, all
26 course curricula, teaching aides, syllabi, and other materials

1 necessary for instruction of courses described by this
2 subsection (d).

3 The Department and the apprenticeship program shall
4 mutually agree upon a third party to administer testing. The
5 third party shall provide testers upon being given 10 days
6 notice.

7 (Source: P.A. 91-239, eff. 1-1-00.)

8 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
9 becoming law.".